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SUBJECT: US FERROUS SCRAP EXPORTS

REF: A. STATE 236397 B. STATE 235452

1. IN RESPONSE REF A: FERROUS SCRAP LIKE OTHER IMPORT HERE SUBJECT TO IMPORT LICENSING. IMPORT SCRAP IS RESTRICTED TO GOVERNMENT-OWNED TRADING CORPORATION OF BANGLADESH AND PUBLIC-SECTOR END-USERS (LARGELY BANGLADESH STEEL MILLS CORP., CHITTAGONG).

2. DOUBT WHETHER ANY CERTIFICATION PROCEDURES WILL BE ESTABLISHED SINCE IMPORTERS SO FEW AND APPROXIMATE FOREIGN ALLOCATION FOR BANGLADESH SO LOW.

3. WITH RESPECT THAT ALLOCATION OF 1,140 SHORT TONS (REF B), WE HAVE BEEN ASKED LOCALLY AS TO LEVEL FOR BANGLADESH AND HAVE GIVEN OUT FIGURE. WE HAVE NOT DONE SO RE FIGURE FOR PAKISTAN OF 7,030 SHORT TONS. IF LATTER FIGURE LATER BECOMES KNOWN, QUESTION MIGHT BE RAISED HERE AS TO WHY PAKISTAN GETS RELATIVELY SO MUCH AND BANGLADESH SO LITTLE WHEN DURING AT LEAST PART OF BASE PERIOD 2-8 (JUNE 30, 1972 - DEC 16, 1971) THEN-EAST PAKISTAN WAS LOCATION OF SOLE IRON AND STEEL MILL IN PAKISTAN, WHICH PRESUMABLY WAS MAIN
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IMPORTER SCRAP. WOULD APPRECIATE ADVICE ON HOW DIVISION OF FORMER

PAKISTAN-WIDE IMPORTS WAS MADWBETWEEN TWO NEWLY CONFIGURED
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